## Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter



5th May 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

The children really enjoyed the visit from Rhubarb Theatre last Friday watching "Dustbin Doris". Thank you to our PTFA for organising this exciting treat for our children; it was lovely to watch the shrieks of delight from the children! We have more exciting events planned for this half term to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee - please see the poster in this newsletter for more information.

I am aware that some parents are using the school car park to drop children off at Little Windmill's breakfast club in a morning. Could I please ask that the car park is not used for dropping off, as we only have a small car park, and it can cause problems for staff when parking their cars which in turn delays them getting to their positions. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

We are in the process of finalising the arrangements for swimming lessons, for years 2-6, which will start after May half term and further information will be sent out shortly.

Finally, as the weather is starting to get warmer at last, could you please ensure that your child has a hat and water bottle in school each day. Please note that our school policy is that only water may be drunk in classrooms. Sun cream is permitted in school provided that it is named and your child is able to apply it themselves.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Bentley Headteacher



#### Diary dates

**09.05.22** SATS week Year 6

10.05.22 PTFA Meeting 1pm in staff room.

24.05.22 Wrates Class Photos

26.05.22 Jubilee Children's Art exhibition at 3.30pm-4.30pm

27.05.22 Lunch time Garden Party—whole school

27.05.22 Last day of term

06.06.22 First Day of Term 6

07.06.22 Reception trip to Sutton-on-Sea

**08.07.22** Year 3 trip — further details to follow

08.07.22 Year 5 trip — further details to follow

#### Fiddle toys

We have seen an increasing number of fiddle toys being brought into school.

Please can you ensure that your child only brings in a fiddle toy if this is something that has been pre-arranged with school.

Thank you for your co-operation.

# HECKINGTON ST. ANDREW'S C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

### PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

During the last week of term (23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> May), we will be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We have lots of exciting activities planned for the children including:

 Each class will be researching a decade of the Queen's reign and this will culminate in an exhibition.



- We will be learning some jubilee songs which we will be singing together at our garden party.
- On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, we will be holding a whole school garden party.

You are invited to join us for an exhibition of the children's work. This will be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May between 3.30 - 4.30 p.m. Please collect your child(ren) as normal and then you are free to walk around and enjoy the exhibitions with them. Don't worry if you can't make it because the children's work will then be on display in St. Andrew's Church during the Jubilee weekend.

On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, we will be enjoying a whole school picnic lunch on the field as part of our garden party. If you would like your child to receive a special jubilee lunch (see poster), splease order this via the Ideal Meals Website

(www.schoolmealsonline.com). This needs to be ordered by Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May. Alternatively, your child can bring a packed lunch to eat outside but please note there will be no hot meal options on this day.

We are looking forward to an exciting week!









Dynamo Cricket team at Sleaford Cricket club







